

TOWN & COUNTY

PERSONAL AND OTHER MATTERS
THAT CONCERN OUR CITIZENS.

Our printers have served notice that they will "walk out" next week until after the Reunion and so The News may have to tie up for that period. Anyway the editor finds consolation in the fact that perhaps, the world will move on just the same.

Concert To night.

The concert at the Hutson building Friday night, July 7th, will be quite the rarest musical treat our town has ever had.

Mr. Saxton's rich baritone voice has wonderful range and melody, while Mrs. Saxton is a violinist of remarkable ability.

Their pianist, Mrs. Lucile Duckworth McCrary needs no introduction to Canyon people, as everyone here knows of her ability.

The Passion Play.

Opened Wednesday night at the Hutson Building to one of the most attentive audiences that has ever been assembled here, and during the unfolding of the stirring pictures representing the Ober-Ammergau Passion Play the audience was enthralled with its sublimity. There was a singular and magnetic charm in the moving scenes while to relieve the tension many beautiful pictures from the Old Masters were shown. To witness this wonderful Passion Play at its Bavarian home falls to the good fortune of comparatively few and it is therefore a deep debt of gratitude that we owe to science for providing the Cinematograph to reproduce here one of the grandest and most soul stirring dramas that the world has seen, and Professor Karmont should be gratified that his thrilling pictures met with such universal appreciation.

Tomorrow night (Saturday) many new features of the Passion Play will be represented after which the entertainment will conclude with A battle between Cowboys and Indians. "A trip through Hell," "The burning at the stake" and many other exciting features.

A Costly Runaway.

Skinner Crawford's team, coupled up to one of Tom Rowan's top buggies, took a run about town yesterday evening with the following sequel:

One horse dead, harness tore up considerably and buggy with top wrenched off and broken pole etc. Skinner left one of the horses tied. Some say the rope broke and others that it came loose. This writer always ties both, when he has two, and never uses less than a 1 inch rope—experience taught him that this is the safest and therefore the best plan.

J. M. Rollins, of Farmersville, arrived yesterday on a visit to his son, our county attorney, bringing along with him J. V. Gillham, an old friend and neighbor. They will remain here for the reunion.

Mrs. Donohoo has returned from her Roswell visit.



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RETRIBUTION FOR RUSSIA.

Cruel, bloody Russia, dearly is she paying for her crimes of the past. A portion of her home fleet has mutineered and the red flag of terror and anarchy is more or less in evidence in all her provinces. In Manchuria, Marshall Oyama is slowly but surely preparing to crush her last great army and the loss of her last eastern port is even now hanging in the balance. America proposed and Japan signified her willingness to stop the dreadful carnage, but Russia, resorting to her old trick of deceitful, lying diplomacy thus forfeiting the little sympathy the nations had for her and inviting her own finish. Her day of retribution has evidently come and like "Bloody Richard" at the battle of Bosworth Field, urged on by the furies, she rushes to her doom.

The house of the Romanoffs, backed by its Tartar and Cossack blood letters, may still stand, but as a power whose voice is heeded in the council of nations, Russia's light may now well be compared to that of a one candle concern. Her punishment is merited and therefore just.

From Bisbee Arizona.

To The News:

Bisbee Arizona is a copper mining camp situated on the border of Old Mexico and in the mountains. The population is about twenty thousand and labor runs from \$2.50 to \$6.00 per day. Wages in the mines are \$3.50 to \$6.00 per day. A machinist can easily get \$5.00 per day. I landed in Bisbee the 7th of June and went to work in the mines at \$3.50 and have not had any trouble holding my job. The company hires from ten to fifty men working eight hours, beginning at 7 a. m. and quitting at 3 p. m. No working man here gets less than \$2.50 per day excepting Mexicans and the company won't let them work in the mines at all. The smelters are at Douglas, 28 miles from Bisbee. Board can be had here at \$30.00 a month. Work never stops in the mines.

When one shift of men comes off another goes on. This month I work from seven to three, next month will commence at six p. m. and quit at two a. m.

There is all kinds of business here and more money spent in two or three days than is spent in a year's time at Canyon. If I was guessing at the number of boarding and lodging houses in the town, would guess about five hundred. There are five churches, and a salvation army to back them.

Since I came here, have seen the water three feet deep in the streets. It has rained here more this spring than it has in years. The rainy season is in the latter part of July and August. It is rather warm here for a person who is used to the breezy plains, but one does not suffer from heat.

A married man working in the mines pays two dollars a month hospital fees and if he gets hurt his doctor bill costs him nothing. They have a fine hospital here and good doctors. They pay them each eight thousand dollars a year.

There is some kind of entertainment here every night, also on Sundays. I have met several of my old Texas friends here in Bisbee, among them, Price Dockery who is working in the smelters at Douglas. Walter Waddell is working here and Tom Cox of Hereford is at Douglas.

Wishing you all a good time at the Reunion, I bid you a good bye. May prosperity and happiness be yours.

Very truly,
H. A. Barry.

I have opened a Dining Hall 30x56 feet with seating capacity for 100 and will serve cold drinks, ice cream and warm meals and will endeavor to give the same satisfaction as in the past. D. N. Redburn.

Rev. Jesse B. Haston will begin a protracted meeting at the Christian Church on July 19. Mr. and Mrs. Saxton will lead the singing.

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I. N. Cooper of Silverton was here several days the first of the week, going from here Thursday to Amarillo. He is the diver that succeeded in recovering Floyd Gentry's body.

To maintain the health of the body is to preserve the health of the soul.